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Weekly Black Sea Bass Quota Report (No. 22)

Black Sea Bass Landings and Commercial Quota (Pounds) for Quarter II
(Apr-Jun 1999).

State	Late Entries	Week Ending 5-Jun-99	Period Cumulative Total (to date)	1999 Quarter II Quota	Percent Landed
ME	180	420	600		
NH	0	0	0		
MA	1,426	89,692	300,479		
RI	478	1,986	29,399		
CT	0	216	7,942		
NY	-18,600	5,499	40,495		
NJ	7,185	15,950	116,141		
DE	1,587	0	1,587		
MD	6,705	27,603	175,151		
VA	0	2,195	182,277		
NC	0	387	28,116		
Total	-1,039	143,948	882,187	885,115	99.7

Notes:

The Federal commercial trip limit for Quarter II is currently 7,000 lbs.

Massachusetts has a 12" minimum fish size.

For week ending June 5, 1999, 191 dealers held a federal black sea bass permit. Of those 191 dealers, 153 (80%) have submitted a weekly quota report for the current reporting week. Because Massachusetts dealers submit weekly quota reports directly to the state, they were not included in these calculations.

These data are the best available to NMFS when this report was compiled. Data are supplied to NMFS by dealers and/or state agencies and may be preliminary.